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FOR: ALUMINUM NITRIDE SINTERED BODY AND SUBSTRATE FOR

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23 pages of specification, claims, abstract.

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2 sheets of formal drawing.

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